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Honorable William French Smith
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Washington, D.C. 20530

Dear Bill:

As you know, the procedures governing CIA activities abroad became effective on 29 June. Since that time the Agency, in addition to transmitting the procedures to all stations abroad, has sent a briefing team to a number of overseas stations to further advise personnel on the requirements of the new procedures. We have found these briefings to be quite useful, and more are planned.

Naturally, I am anxious that the proposed procedures governing the Agency's domestic activities be approved by you at the earliest possible time. So that we may begin to plan the process of briefing both our Agency personnel assigned domestically and our oversight committees, it would be useful to know when we can expect final action on the procedures.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

William J. Casey
Director of Central Intelligence

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